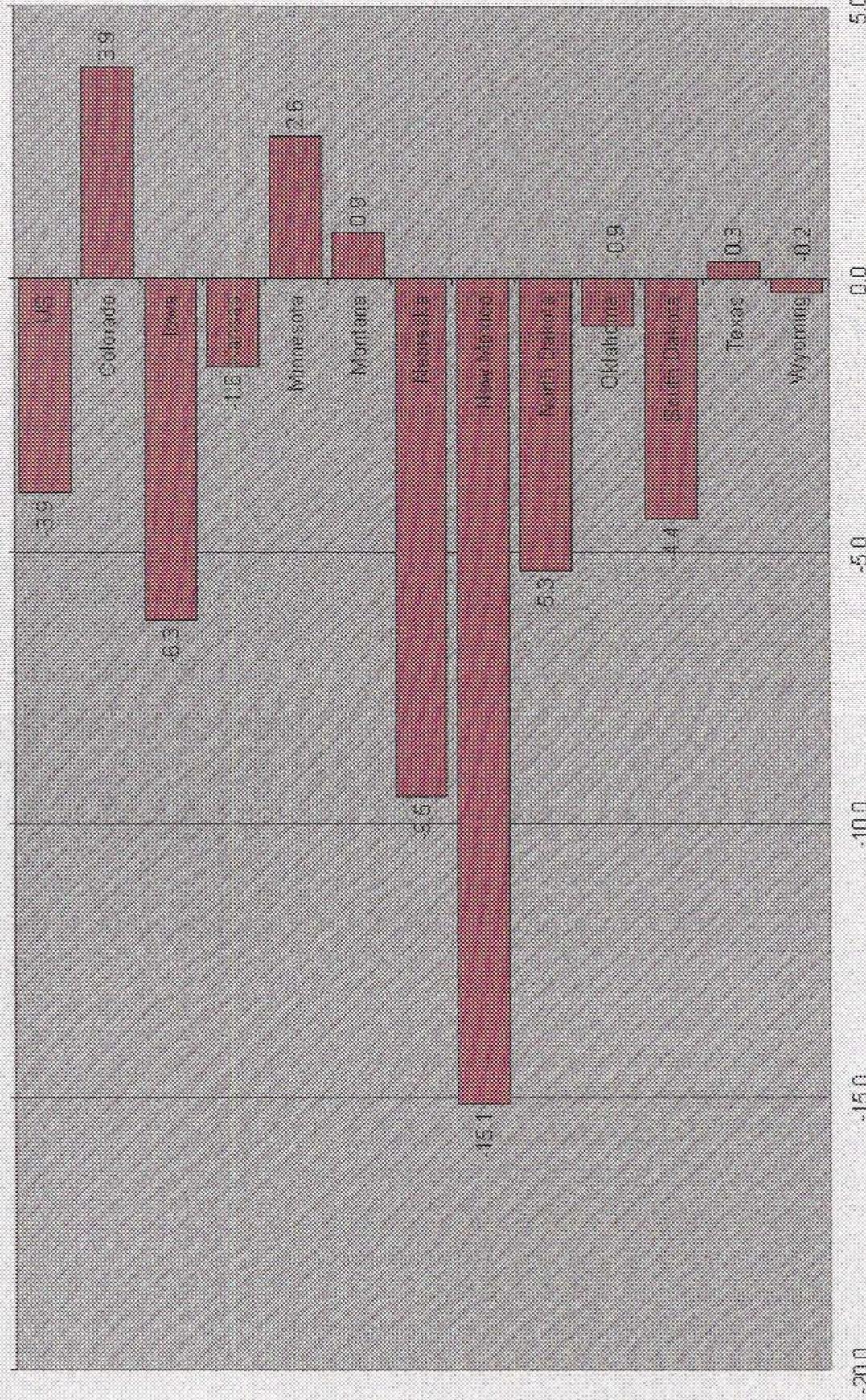
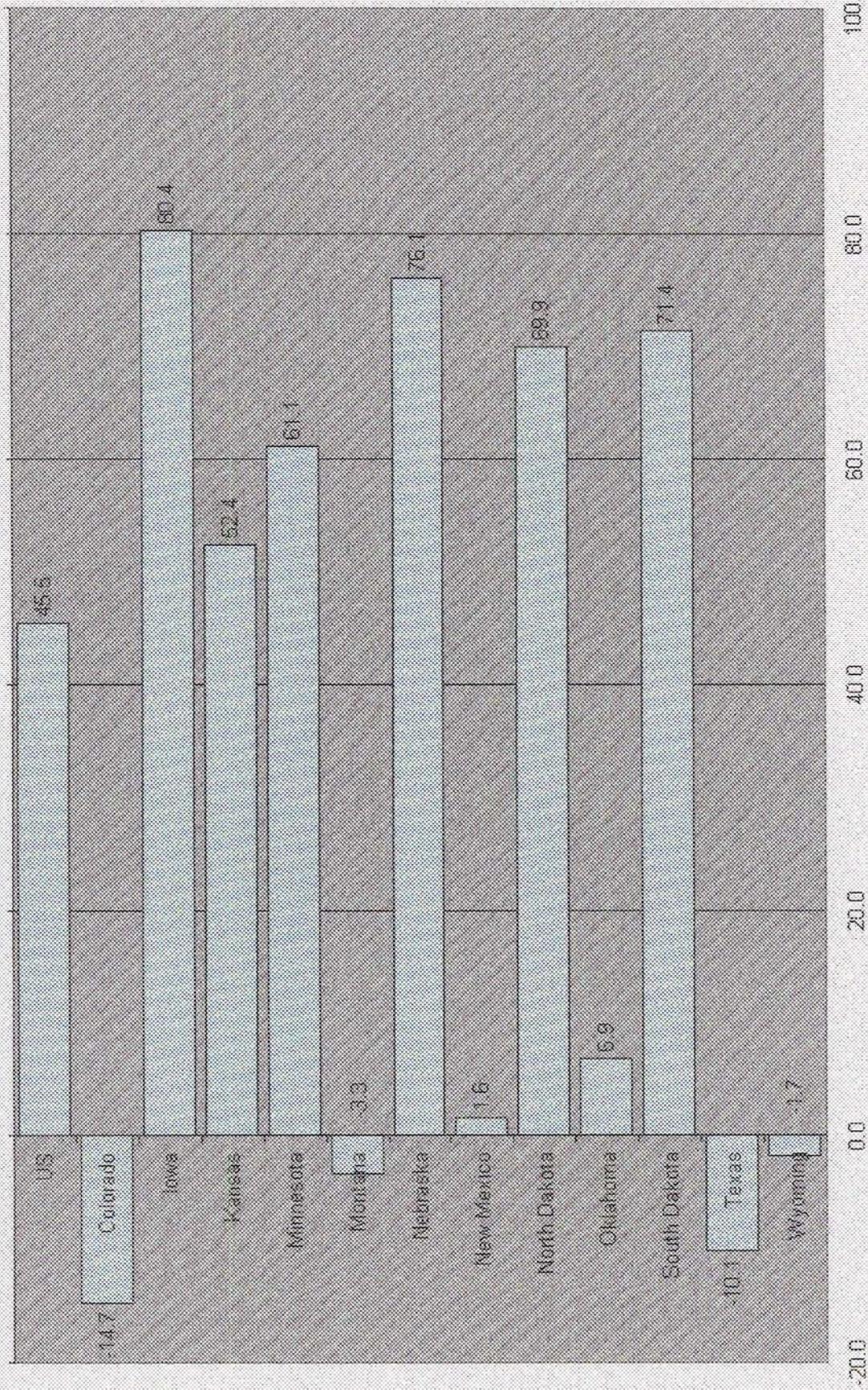


Percent Change in Number of Farms: 1997-2002



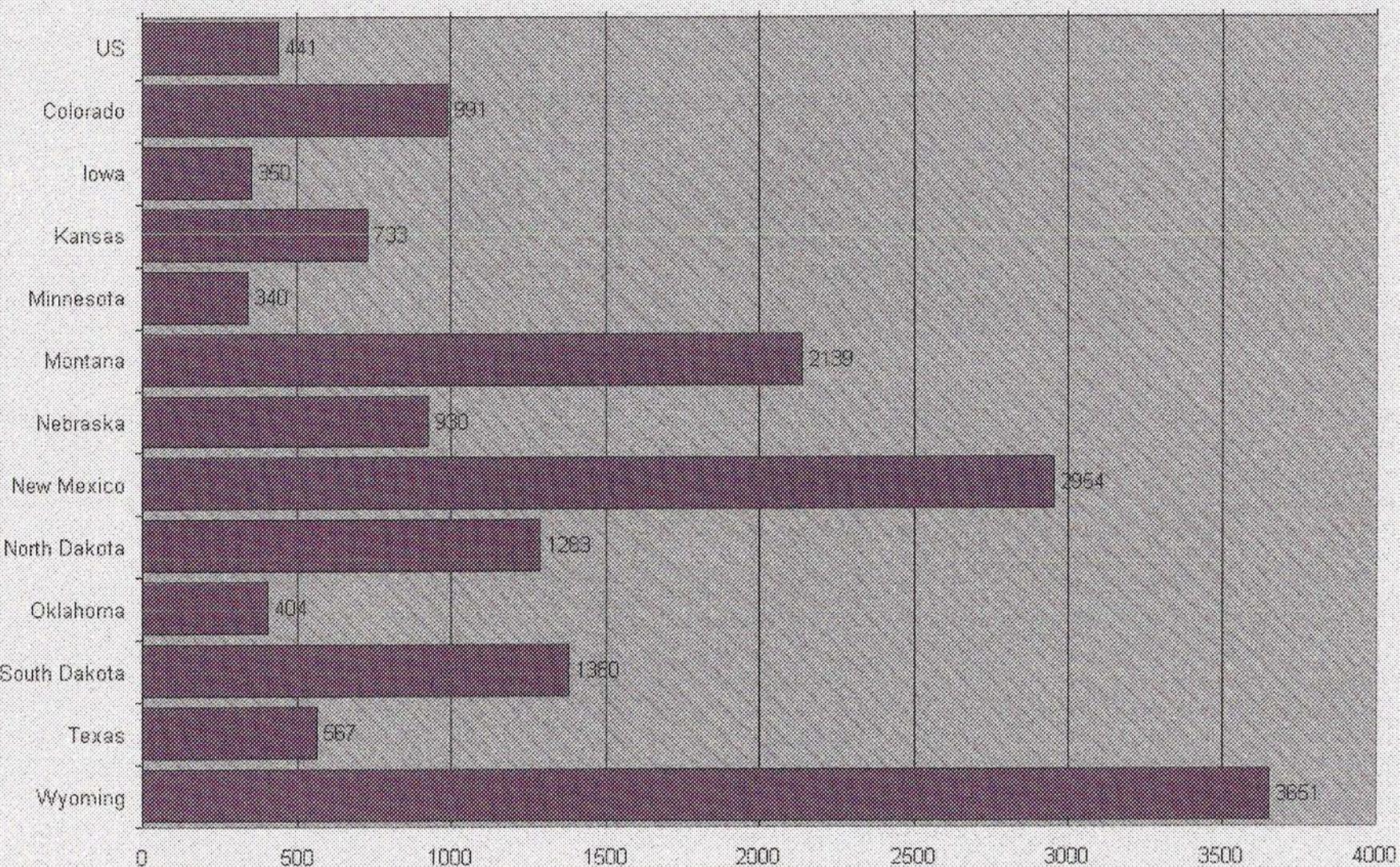
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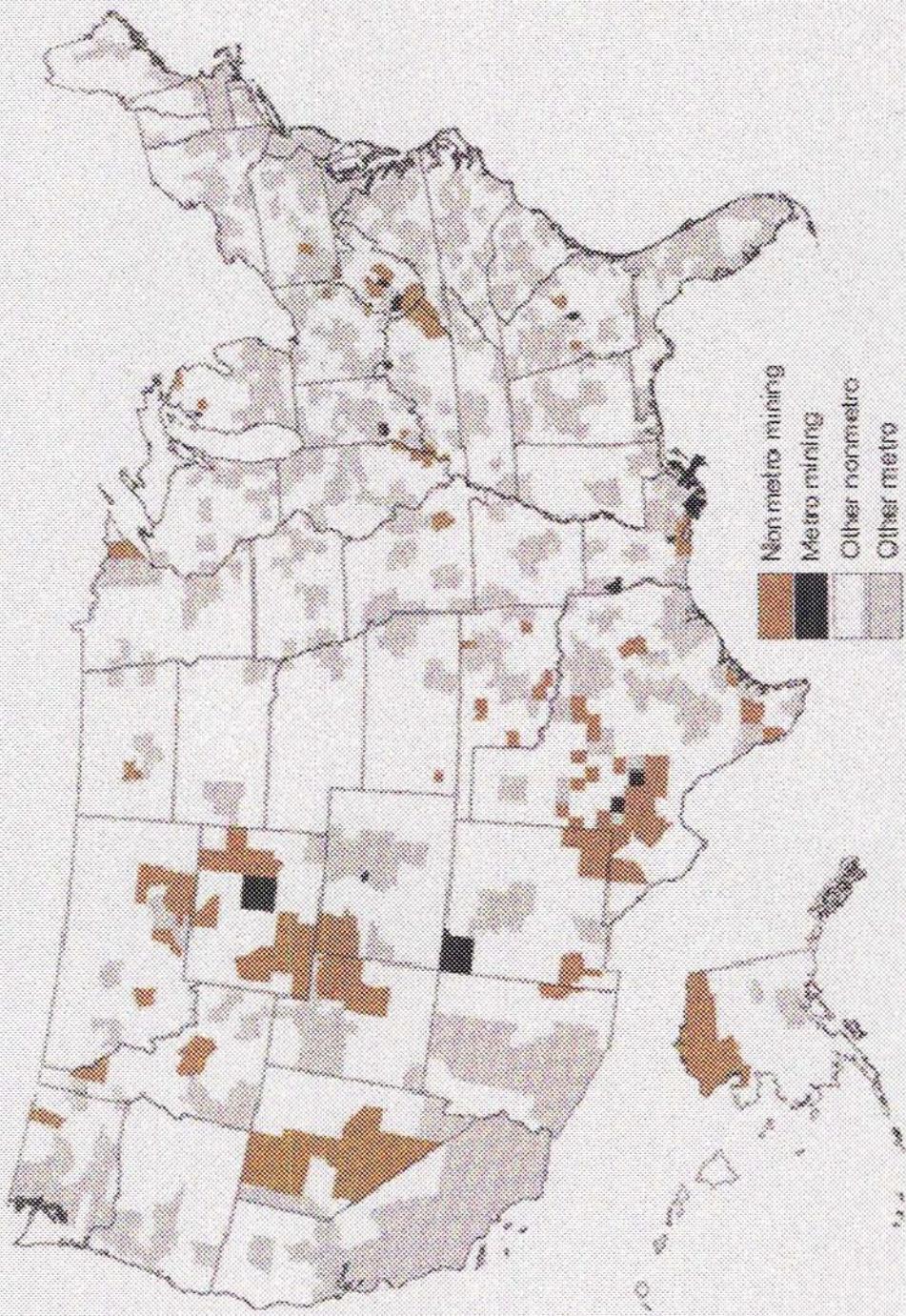
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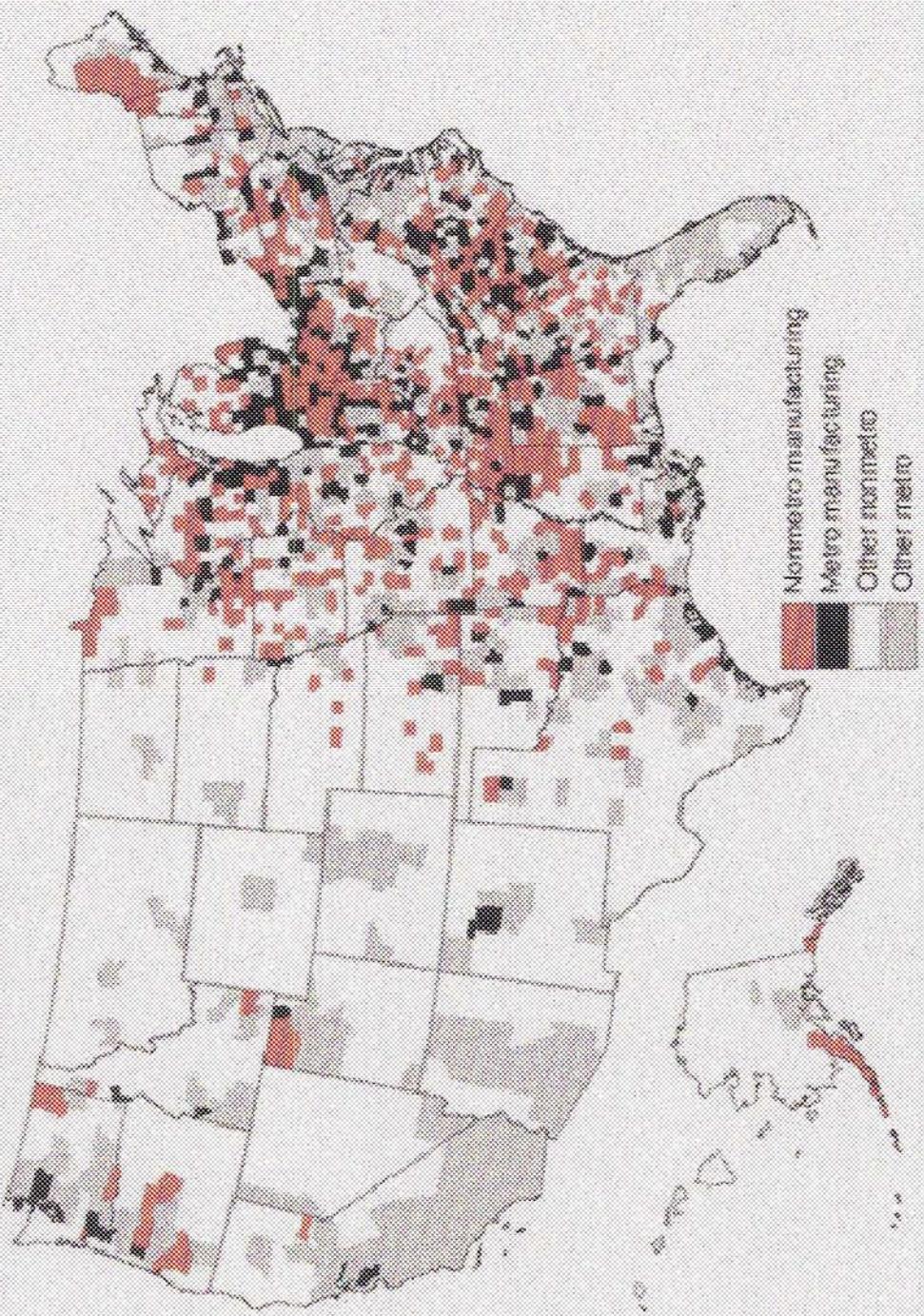
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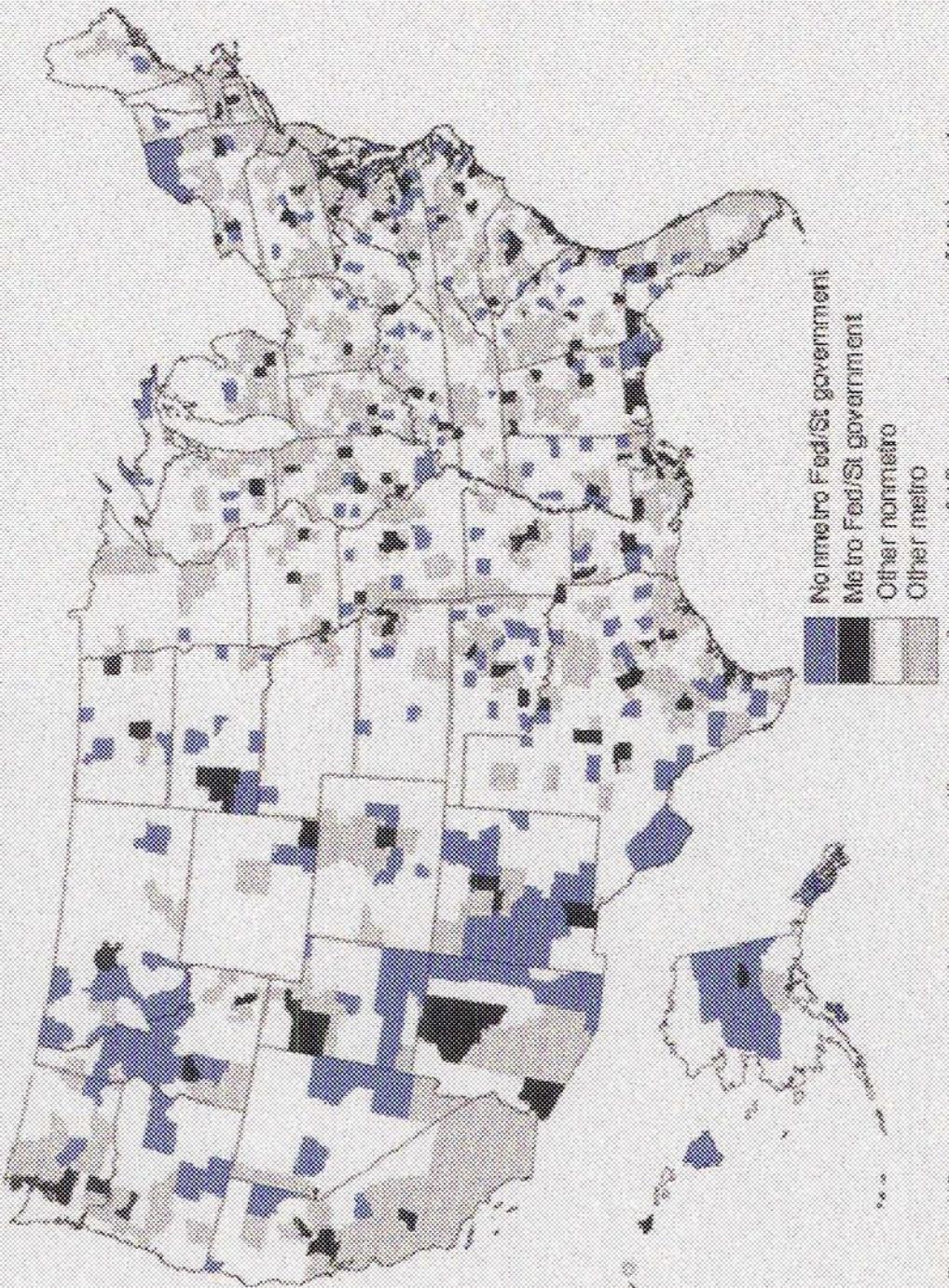
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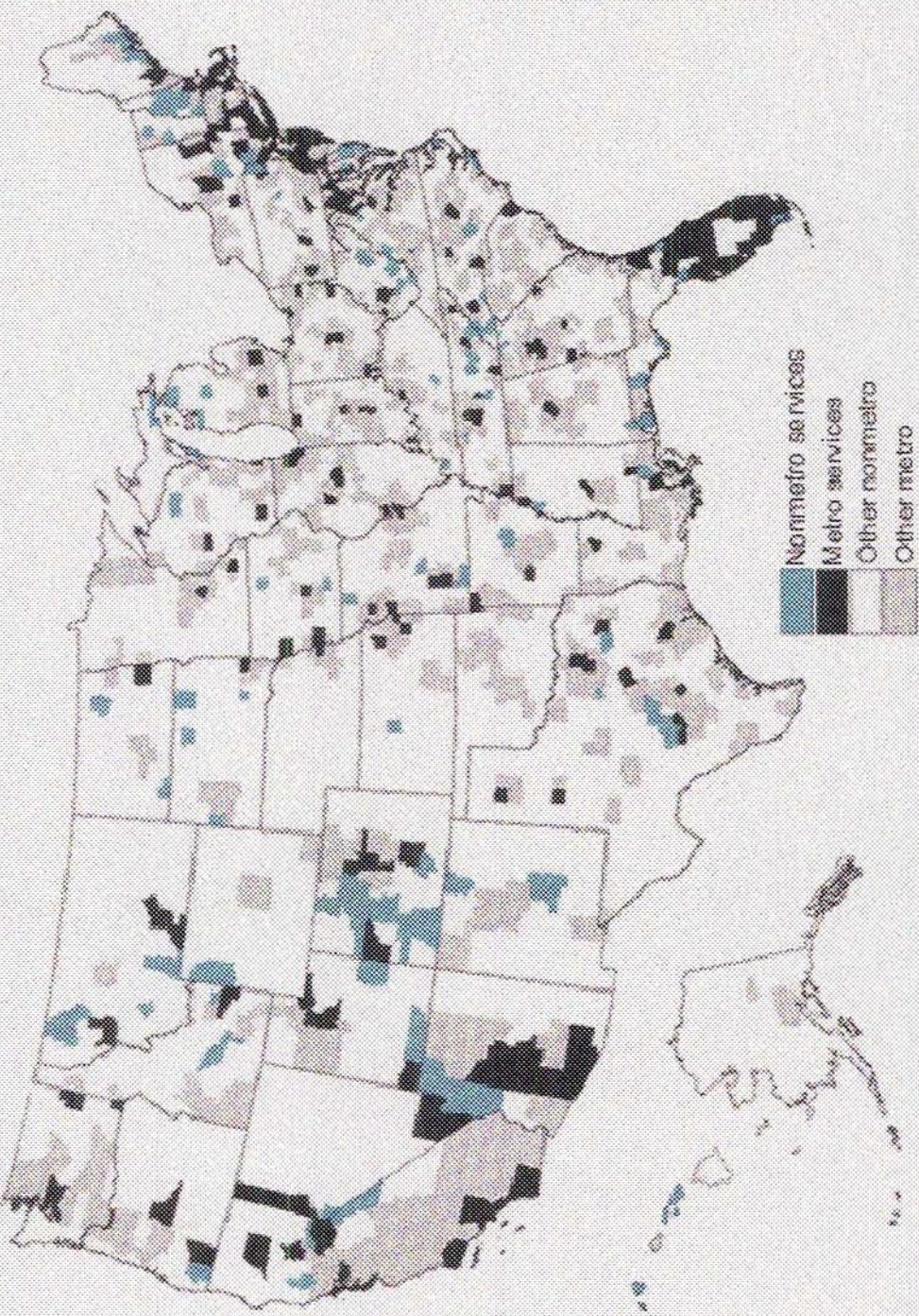
Federal/State Government-dependent Counties, 1998-2000



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Source: Economic Research Service, USDA.

Services-dependent Counties, 1998-2000



Services-dependent counties—on annual average of 45 percent or more of total county earnings derived from services (retail trade, finance and real estate; and services) during 1998-2000.

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